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SUBJECT:CODEL RUPPE VISIT TO TAHITI

1. REP. PHILIP E. RUPPE (R - MICH.) PLANS TO VISIT TAHITI JANUARY 18-21 AND HAS ASKED FOR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING BRIEFINGS FROM FRENCH TERRITORIAL OFFICIALS WHILE THERE. MR. RUPPE IS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND INSULAR AFFAIRS. IN TAHITI HE IS INTERESTED IN ARRANGING MEETINGS ON THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS: GENERAL ORIENTATION BRIEFINGS ON THE TERRITORY AND FRENCH ADMINISTRATION; DISCUSSION OF ECONOMIC PROBLEMS, E.G. FISHING, TOURISM; DISCUSSIONS WITH LOCAL LEGISLATORS.

2. MR. RUPPE, ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. RUPPE AND COMMITTEE STAFF MEMBER THOMAS DUNMIRE, WILL ARRIVE AT PAPEETE AT 0055 JANUARY 18 VIA PAA 807 AND WILL DEPART AT 2035 JANUARY 21 VIA PAA 816. THEY HAVE RESERVATIONS AT TAHARA HOTEL.

3. PARIS: PLEASE REQUEST THE MENTIONED APPOINTMENTS THROUGH APPROPRIATE FRENCH AUTHORITIES AND REPORT ANY ARRANGEMENTS MADE.

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4. SUVA: THE FOREGOING IS FOR YOUR INFORMATION ONLY; CODEL  
UNDERSTANDS THAT YOU WILL NOT BE INVOLVED IN TAHITI VISIT. KISSINGER

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